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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Sir:

In accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.136, it is respectfully requested that a one-month extension of time be granted in which to file the attached Response to Restriction Requirement and Preliminary Amendment. Please charge Deposit Account No. 50-0996 (CRAW001) in the amount of \$110.00 to cover the extension fee for a large entity, with further authorization to charge/credit said deposit account as required by this filing.

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